



OPEN DOORS FACT SHEET: NORTH CAROLINA

INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION Educational Exchange Data from *Open Doors 2010*

	Rank in US	Total
FOREIGN STUDENTS IN THE STATE	#17*	12,307 (up 0.7%)
ESTIMATED FOREIGN STUDENTS EXPENDITURE IN THE STATE (in millions of dollars)		\$293.4**

* Rankings include all 50 U.S. states in addition to Washington, D.C.

** Economic analysis produced by NAFSA: Association of International Educators based on enrollment data from *Open Doors 2010*.
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INSTITUTIONS WITH THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF FOREIGN STUDENTS

Institution	City	Total
North Carolina State University	Raleigh	3,262
Duke University and Medical Center	Durham	2,325
University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill	Chapel Hill	1,599
University of North Carolina - Charlotte	Charlotte	1,214
University of North Carolina - Greensboro	Greensboro	757

LEADING PLACES OF ORIGIN FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS IN THE STATE

Rank	Place of Origin	% Total
1	China	20.4%
2	India	19.1%
3	South Korea	9.1%
4	Canada	3.4%
5	Taiwan	2.9%

AMERICAN STUDENTS ABROAD

TOTAL NUMBER OF U.S. STUDY ABROAD STUDENTS ENROLLED THROUGH INSTITUTIONS IN THE STATE	2007/08	2008/09
	9,098	8,948 (down 1.6%)

STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE FUNDED PROGRAMS

Exchange Program	Fulbright Program		Gilman Program 2009/10
	2009/10	2010/11	
U.S. Students from colleges and universities in the state	35	37	58
Foreign Students at colleges and universities in the state	52	51	N/A

Source: *Open Doors: Report on International Educational Exchange*, published annually by IIE with support from the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. For more information, including press releases on foreign students in the U.S. and U.S. study abroad, and FAQs, including definitions of foreign students and foreign scholars, visit www.iie.org/opendoors or contact Leena Soman, IIE Public Affairs Manager, at: +1 (212) 984-5360 or lsoman@iie.org.